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Using FTIR  
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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 116

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The Applicant submits the following Amendment and Remarks in Response to the Final Office Action dated February 5, 2004, in the above referenced patent application.

Amendments to the claims are reflected on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.